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IN RE THE APPLICATION OF

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LETTER REGARDING RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF MAY 29, 2003

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

In the response mailed August 25, 2003, the serial number was improperly indicated to be 09/540,612. To make sure that papers reached the examiner, the papers are attached hereto, with the serial number being hand-corrected to the proper serial number, as set forth above.

The error is regretted.

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